

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA
CHARLOTTE DIVISION
3:06CV273-MU-02

MICHAEL McKEE,)	
Petitioner,)	
)	
v.)	<u>ORDER</u>
)	
JOSEPH HALL, Supt.,)	
Respondent.)	
_____)	

THIS MATTER comes before the Court on an initial review of the petitioner's "Petition Under 28 U.S.C. 2254 . . . ," filed June 30, 2006.

By his document, it appears that the petitioner is seeking habeas review for two¹ separate North Carolina cases in which he was convicted in the Superior Court of Union County. However, the rules governing habeas corpus proceedings permit the challenge of only one case per form-Petition. Accordingly, the Court will direct the petitioner to file his amended Petition(s) as hereafter directed.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:

1. That the petitioner shall submit his amended Petition(s) setting for his challenges to only one case per Petition. Should the petitioner choose to file separate Petitions to challenge

¹The petitioner's Petition lists his convictions in both case number 00CRS13373 and case number 03CRS54118.

both of his cases, he must pay the \$5.00 filing fee for his second Petition.

2. That for the petitioner's convenience, the Clerk shall enclose to him two (2) §2254 form Petitions along with a copy of this Order.

3. That within thirty (30) days from the date of this Order, the petitioner shall file his amended Petition(s) with this Court. **Failure to file the amended Petition(s) as herein directed could result in the summary dismissal of this action.**

SO ORDERED.

Signed: July 30, 2006

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Graham C. Mullen", written over a horizontal line.

Graham C. Mullen
United States District Judge

